Staying Motivated



Try walking during your 15-minute break or before you start work. You will feel more energized and ready to go! When you start slowly, you will be ready for the next walking challenge. Check the CommonHealth website for information about at-work fitness opportunities.

http://commonhealth@dhrm.virginia.gov

Once you have decided to make changes to your lifestyle, it's sometimes hard to keep going! CommonHealth has information to help you as you start a new journey to a healthier life. Try some of these resources or contact your agency CommonHealth coordinator today.

COMMONHEALTH WEBSITE

http://commonhealth.virginia.gov

EMAIL US

Wellness@dhrm.virginia.gov

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (DHRM)

www.dhrm.virginia.gov

ActiveHealth Resources for employees in a state health plan

https://MyActiveHealth.com/cova



Introducing a New WeightWatchers portal! Find an at-work meeting location and join now.

Weight Watchers programs are very successful and are available at many work locations and in your community. All state employees may participate. Many participants report great outcomes in this program plus 50% of the program fee may be reimbursed for employees who meet program requirements. Get started at:

http://www.dhrm.virginia.gov/genlbenefits/weightwatchers/DHRMWWGateway.pdf

Other resources are available to employees who are enrolled in a state health benefits plan.

Healthy Beginnings

Maternity Management

Healthy Lifestyles

Smoking Cessation Weight Management

Healthy Insights

Disease Management:
Diabetes
High Blood Pressure

Eligible employees should go to: https://www.MyActiveHealth.com/cova and log in to access these resources.



CommonHealth Employee Wellness Programs

Visit us at www.commonhealth.virginia.gov



CommonHealth is the wellness education program for employees of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Getting Started with CommonHealth

More than 500 state agency locations have active CommonHealth programs.

Visit the CommonHealth Web site for program information or email the Regional Coordinator serving your area.

http://commonhealth.virginia.gov

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CommonHealth@Work4You

Programs we bring to your workplace include:

Weight Loss and
Activity Challenges
Nutrition and Healthy Eating
Take 10 for Better Health
Stress Management
Activity and Fitness
Stroke Awareness
Sleep and Health
Type 2 Diabetes
Heart Health
Safe Driving

Your Regional Coordinator will custom fit these programs to your needs, including 15- or 30-minute sessions or presentations at your staff meetings.

If you know someone who is interested in improving the health and wellness of your coworkers at your site, he or she may want to volunteer to serve as an Agency CommonHealth Coordinator.

Email us today wellness@dhrm.virginia.gov.





CommonHealth is administered by the Virginia Department of Human Resource Management

CommonHealth Publications

Weekly Emails are sent to your agency CommonHealth coordinator for distribution to coworkers and each covers a wide variety of timely health and wellness topics.

The Compass newsletter is packed with health news you can use and recipes to share. It is delivered electronically three times a year, or you can view current and past editions at: http://commonhealth.virginia.gov/communications.htm



NEW! At-Work Fitness Classes Discover how you can start a

fitness class at or near your work location. Zumba, Pilates, Yoga, and more!

Fitness Center Discount Program

Many fitness centers around the state participate and offer a variety of discounts to state employees. Simply visit the CommonHealth Web site for a list of participating centers by region. http://commonhealth.virginia.gov/fitnessdiscounts.htm